

Potential Topics for LOC Report Recommendations

1. Single Stream Funding – continue to expand?
2. Three Way Contracts – maintain and/or expand?
3. Continue Expansion of the B-C waiver – remove prohibition against sub-contracting with non-contiguous LMEs
4. Criteria-based report on the status of the implementation of the CABHAs: budget and program
5. Report on the Independent Assessment Study
6. Closure of Dix Hospital
7. Emergency Room Usage by persons with mental illness: statewide status report and comprehensive plan for reduction in length of stay
8. Mental Health services for military personnel
9. Develop a process to allow Day Treatment for children and youth to be provided by qualified schools
10. Comprehensive Plan for the fair and equitable allocation of resources for persons with developmental disability based on a reliable, statewide assessment of intensity of need and the development of a formula for use of this data to determine eligibility for type and array of services. Re-consider the need for revision of the Tiered Waiver if this Plan reveals that an additional tier is no longer needed.
11. Report on the status of LME Utilization Management for CAP-MR/DD: budget and program impact
12. Comprehensive report on the residential needs and options for children with DD aged 0-6. Include early intervention and education options for support in-home.
13. TBI waiver
14. Direct the DHHS to revise the DD Waiting List process to assure that there is a simple, non-duplicated list of children and adults waiting for state and federal funded DD services to include residential services. List should be research-based to assure that data collected are an accurate reflection of the need for classes of services currently available in NC. The data collected should reflect some indication of those who may potentially be eligible for CAP-MR/DD funding. DHHS should report on these data annually and use these data to determine geographic, age and disability service gaps and plans to address these gaps.
15. Implement LOC Report Review Recommendations supported by the LOC during the 2009-10 Interim.